

Amendments to the Specification

In the specification, insert the following new paragraph on page 1, line 1:

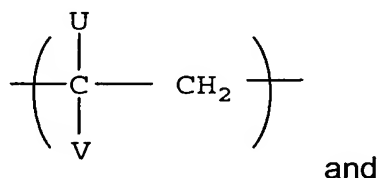
This application is a divisional of application No. 09/762,833 filed on January 30, 2001, which is a § 371 of PCT/US97/12540 filed on July 3, 1997, which takes priority from Australian provisional applications PO 1109 filed on July 18, 1996 and PO 0933 filed on July 10, 1996.

On page 5, paragraph starting form line 9 to 15:

Z is selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, chlorine, optionally substituted alkyl, optionally substituted aryl, optionally substituted heterocyclyl, optionally substituted alkylthio, optionally substituted alkoxy carbonyl, optionally substituted aryloxy carbonyl (-COOR"), carboxy (-COOH), optionally substituted acyloxy (-O₂CR"), optionally substituted carbamoyl (-CONR"2), cyano (-CN), dialkyl- or diaryl- phosphonato [$\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{OR})_2$] [$\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{OR})_2$], dialkyl- or diaryl- phosphinato [$\text{P}(=\text{O})\text{R}^2$], and a polymer chain formed by any mechanism;

On page 5, paragraph starting form line 22 to 25:

Q is selected from the group consisting of
repeating unit



repeating units from maleic anhydride, N-alkylmaleimide, N-arylmaleimide, dialkyl fumarate and cyclopolymerizable monomers;

On page 6, paragraph starting form line 8 to 12:

R" is selected from the group consisting of optionally substituted C₁-C₁₈ alkyl, C₂-C₁₈ alkenyl, aryl, heterocyclyl, aralkyl, alkaryl wherein the substituents are independently selected from the group that consists of epoxy, hydroxy, alkoxy, acyl, acyloxy, carboxy (~~and salts~~) and carboxylates, sulfonic acid (~~and salts~~) and sulfonates, alkoxy- or aryloxy-carbonyl, isocyanato, cyano, silyl, halo, and dialkylamino;

On page 6, paragraph starting form line 20 to 24:

R' is a p-valent moiety selected from a member of the group consisting of optionally substituted alkyl, optionally substituted aryl and a polymer chain; where the connecting moieties are selected from the group consisting of aliphatic carbon, aromatic carbon, silicon, and sulfur; in compounds C [~~and D~~], R'• is a free radical leaving group that initiates free radical polymerization.